



## DEPARTMENT 406

### SHEEP

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### SCHEDULE OF SHEEP EVENTS

**NEW: NO PAINTING OF ANIMALS ALLOWED DURING MARKET LAMB SHOW (AUG. 1-AUG. 4)**

**No trimming stands, head pieces, mechanical clippers or blowers allowed in the barn during the market lamb show (Aug. 1-Aug. 4). All market lambs must arrive slick-shorn at 1/8 inch or less.**

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

Noon - 5 pm Admit Open Class wool

Noon - 7 pm Pen Assignments (only tack allowed in the barn **No Lambs**)

**Declared weight system used - explanation listed in Terms & Conditions**

**For more information: [https://mdc.itap.purdue.edu/item.asp?item\\_number=15-255-W](https://mdc.itap.purdue.edu/item.asp?item_number=15-255-W)**

**NO TANBARK, MULCH, CARPET or SAND for bedding. Please clean pens on a daily basis.**

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

7 am - 4 pm Admit and pen 4-H market lambs. Breeding ewes will not be allowed in the barn until 6 am on Friday, August 9. Any ewe lambs brought to the State Fair on Thursday, August 1 will show in market lamb classes. Absolutely no Rams admitted/penned during the 4-H Sheep Show. **Market Lambs must arrive show ready. This means slick shorn at a uniform length (1/8 inch or less) with no wool between hock/knee and ears. All market lambs will be unloaded and presented without blankets for close inspection by designated department staff.**

All space in the Sheep Barn Dormitory must be reserved in-person beginning on Wednesday, July 31.  
Dorm space may not be reserved prior to this date.

#### 4-H PEN ASSIGNMENT and UNLOADING PROCEDURES

Department staff will be at the Check-in Tent to make pen assignments. 4-Hers wishing to pen together **MUST** arrive together.

Trucks will remain in line in Lot 5 until their assigned unloading door becomes available. Department Staff in Lot 5 will release trucks for unloading with the assistance of a radio relay with the unloading area. Exhibitors ignoring these procedures are subject to immediate disqualification and forfeiture of all entry fees.

7 am - 9 pm

**Scales open**

8 am - 5 pm

Admit Open Class wool

Noon - 5 pm

4-H entry paperwork (market lambs)

1 - 6 pm

Breed classifying or sifting

7 pm

All entry tickets with declared weight must be turned in at office

**NEW: No market trucks provided.**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 2**

All exhibitors entering the Fairgrounds on or after Friday, August 2, **must pay admission or an exhibitor ticket is required.** Any exhibitor leaving the Fairgrounds, wishing to return the same day **must** obtain a hand stamp from the gate attendant or pay admission to re-enter. This policy will be strictly enforced. Pass outs are not permitted after 8:00 pm.

**6 am - 10 pm Scales open - No scales brought in by exhibitors**

8:30 am Breed Managers Meeting (Market Lambs)

9 am 4-H Exhibitors Meeting

9:30 am 4-H Showmanship (1 Showmanship ring: Juniors, Intermediates, Seniors)

Cheviot, Border Natural Colored

Cheviot, North Country Oxford

Columbia Shropshire

Corriedale Southdown

Dorset Suffolk

Dorset, Horned Texel

Hampshire Tunis

Montadale Black Faced Commercial

White Faced Commercial

10 am Judging Open Class Wool - Marsh Blue Ribbon Pavilion Wool Room

All wool released following judging at 3-9 pm except Natural Colored Champion & Reserve Champion and Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 3****6 am - 10 pm Scales open**

8 am 4-H Market Lamb Judging begins:

Hampshire market lambs

Suffolk market lambs

Natural Colored market lambs

Blackface Commercial market lambs

Whiteface Commercial market lambs

Border Cheviot market lambs

North Country Cheviot market lambs

Columbia market lambs

Corriedale market lambs

Dorset market lambs

Dorset, Horned market lambs

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 4****6 am Scales open**

8 am 4-H Market Lamb Judging resumes

Montadale market lambs

Oxford market lambs

Shropshire market lambs

Southdown market lambs

Texel market lambs

Tunis market lambs

4-H market lambs will be released as soon as their pens are cleaned and they have been judged (except for breed champions and reserves).

11 am or immediately following show Market Lamb Grand Champion 4-H Drive - Marsh Blue Ribbon Pavilion

**1 pm All 4-H market lambs (except breed champions and Indiana State Fair Celebration Award animals) must vacate the Marsh Blue Ribbon Pavilion.**

4 - 7 pm 4-H Meat Goat Wethers &amp; 4-H Boer Goat females admitted

4:30 - 7:30 pm 4-H Boer Goat and Meat Goat Wether paperwork must be completed

4 - 8 pm Open class Boer Goats may arrive and be penned

7 pm 4-H Boer Goats and Meat Goat Wethers must be penned

8 pm Meat Goat Wethers: All entry tickets with declared weight must be turned in at office.

Scales open until 10 pm

**MONDAY, AUGUST 5****6 am Scales open**

8 am 4-H Meat Goat Wether Show followed by Showmanship

8 - Noon Open Boer Goats arrive and penned

Noon Open Boer Goats must be penned and paperwork checked

- 1 pm 4-H Boer Goat Female Show (or 15 mins. following Meat Goat Wether Show and Showmanship whatever is later)  
4-H Boer Goats released after show

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

- 9 am Open Boer Goat Show #1

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

- 9 am Open Boer Goat Show #2

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 8

Barn to be Cleaned

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 9

- 6 am - Noon 4-H breeding sheep may arrive. **All ewes will be unloaded and presented without blankets for close inspection by designated department staff.**
- 8 am - 3 pm 4-H entry paperwork for breeding ewes
- Noon 4-H breeding ewes and fitting contest ewes must be penned
- 1-3 pm Weigh 4-H commercial ewes - No Blankets
- 2 pm Open youth halter exhibition class.  
Open Lead Class (Immediately following youth halter). For **Youth Halter** and **Lead class** fill out entry form on show day in the Sheep Department Office (See Open Class Handbook/Premium List for details). Signature of exhibitor and parent if exhibitor is under 18 is required.
- 2:30 pm 4-H Fitting Contest - (Must be entered in 4-H sheep show)
- 5 pm 4-H Senior breeding sheep showmanship (Commercial, Shropshire, Montadale, Oxford, Natural Colored, Corriedale, Texel, Katahdin, Shetland, Tunis, Horned Dorset, Suffolk, Dorset, North Country Cheviot, Columbia, Hampshire, Southdown & Border Cheviot)
- 6 pm 4-H Breeding Ewe show begins  
Tunis Ewes  
Natural Colored Ewes  
Corriedale Ewes  
Texel Ewes  
Katahdin Ewes  
Shetland Ewes

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

- 7:30 am 4-H breeding sheep show continues  
Showmanship classes for Junior and Intermediate (Tunis, Natural Colored, Corriedale, Texel, Katahdin & Shetland) ewe exhibitors  
Shropshire Ewes and showmanship  
Montadale Ewes and showmanship  
Oxford Ewes and showmanship  
Horned Dorset Ewes and showmanship  
Suffolk Ewes and showmanship  
Dorset Ewes and showmanship  
North Country Cheviot Ewes and showmanship  
Columbia Ewes and showmanship  
Hampshire Ewes and showmanship  
Southdown Ewes and showmanship  
Border Cheviot Ewes and showmanship  
4-H breeding sheep released after they are finished showing. 4-H breeding sheep pens must be cleaned before the sheep will be released.
- 5 pm Supreme 4-H Livestock Showmanship includes Champion and Reserve Champion Senior Showman from Beef and Swine Showmanships and the Champion Senior Showman from Market Lamb and Breeding Ewe Showmanships (animals furnished by Beef, Sheep and Swine Departments) – New Arena
- 7 pm Indiana State Fair Celebration Awards (*see Introduction page 27 for more info*) – New Arena

## SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

- 8 am 4-H breeding sheep show continues  
Commercial Ewes and showmanship  
Supreme & Reserve Supreme Champion 4-H Ewe (Immediately following selection of the Champion and Reserve Champion Commercial Ewe)  
Champion & Reserve Champion Junior and Intermediate Ewe Showman
- 4 pm 4-H breeding sheep that are not entered in the Open Show must be out of the barn. Sheep pens must be cleaned before the sheep will be released. Prior authorization from the Sheep Barn Director is necessary to remain in the building.

## ARRIVAL AND RELEASE FOR OPEN CLASS SHEEP

Corriedale, Columbia, Rambouillet, and Natural Colored - permitted to arrive AFTER 4 pm on Sunday, August 11 and MUST be penned by 10 pm Sunday, August 11, released after show

Shetland - permitted to arrive AFTER 6 am on Monday, August 12 and MUST be penned by 2 pm Monday, August 12, released after show

Shropshire, North Country, Katahdin and Texel - permitted to arrive AFTER 6 am on Monday, August 12 and MUST be penned by 2 pm Tuesday, August 13, released after show

Southdown and Tunis - permitted to arrive AFTER 6 am on Monday, August 12 and MUST be penned by 2 pm Wednesday, August 14, released after show

**All breeds showing through Thursday, August 15, must leave the building by 8 pm Thursday.**

Horned Dorset, Cheviot and Montadale - permitted to arrive AFTER 8 pm on Wednesday, August 14 and MUST be penned by 2 pm Thursday, August 15, released after show

Oxford, Polled Dorset, Hampshire and Suffolk - permitted to arrive AFTER 8 pm on Thursday, August 15 and MUST be penned by 2 pm Friday, August 16, released after show

Open Commercial Show - permitted to arrive AFTER 8 pm on Thursday, August 15 and MUST be penned by 1 pm Saturday, August 17, released after show

Wether Sire/Dam Show/Sale - permitted to arrive AFTER 8 pm on Thursday, August 15 and MUST be penned by 1 pm Saturday, August 17, released after show

**No open class sheep will be permitted on the fairgrounds prior to the arrival times listed unless by special permission of the department director.**

### MONDAY, AUGUST 12

9 am                Open Corriedale show  
                       Open Columbia show  
                       Open Rambouillet show  
                       Open Natural Colored show  
 4 pm                Shearing contest check-in  
 5 pm                Shearing contest

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

9 am                Open Shetland show

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

9 am                Open Shropshire show  
                       Open North Country show  
                       Open Katahdin show  
 5 pm                Open Texel show

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

9 am                Open Tunis show  
                       Open Southdown show

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

9 am                Open Horned Dorset show  
                       Open Cheviot show  
                       Open Montadale show

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

9 am                Open Oxford show  
                       Open Polled Dorset show  
                       Open Hampshire show  
                       Open Suffolk show  
 1 pm                Commercial Exhibitors must be in place with weight cards turned in.  
 5 pm or immediately after breed shows  
                       Open Commercial Ram Show  
                       Open Commercial Ewe Show  
                       Open Commercial Wether Sire/Dam Show  
 7:30 pm or immediately after Commercial Shows  
                       Open Wether Sire/Dam Sale

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

10 am              Sheep to Shawl Contest - Marsh Blue Ribbon Pavilion Arena

## 4-H SHEEP ENTRY

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. 4-H Animal Ownership, Possession and Exhibition Guidelines relative to State Fair Exhibition, see 4-H ANIMAL OWNERSHIP/ POSSESSION AND EXHIBITION on page 14 and 15 of the Indiana State Fair 4-H Handbook/Premium List.
2. Only animals who are properly enrolled on the 4-H Sheep enrollment form are eligible for entry in the State Fair Sheep Show. For enrollment procedures, refer to Sheep enrollment form (4-H-670).
3. All market lambs and all ewes (including registered ewes) must be individually identified under the supervision of the county 4-H committee at the start of the project. Counties must use a retinal scan and a five (5) digit ear tag for market lambs and commercial ewes (commercial ewes may be identified by a 5-digit county tag or a farm flock tag). Registered ewes must be retinal scanned and identified by the ear tag that corresponds to the tag number listed on the ewe's registration paper.
4. 4-H exhibitors may not enroll more than ten (10) market lambs, ten (10) yearling ewes and ten (10) ewe lambs. If more than this number appear on the form, only the first ten (10) of each will be eligible.
5. 4-H members may enroll ewe lambs on their 4-H Sheep Enrollment Forms without designating whether they intend to show them as market lambs or breeding ewes. However, a 4-H member may only show their ewe lamb(s) as a market lamb(s) or as a breeding ewe(s) at the Indiana State Fair. 4-H members may not show the same ewe lamb as both a market lamb and a breeding ewe in the 4-H sheep show at the Indiana State Fair in any given year.
6. **Prior to June 1**, the 4-Her must contact the County Extension Office to obtain a State Fair entry form or print an entry form from the web at [www.indianastatefair.com](http://www.indianastatefair.com). **Please check this website for availability of online entry.**
7. 4-H exhibitors must have been enrolled in the sheep project in their county prior to May 15th. **Prior to June 1st**, please go to [www.indianastatefair.com](http://www.indianastatefair.com) and enter online. Select State Fair, Competitions/Contests tab, Online Entry/Premium Books, Online Entry, then follow prompts. If you choose to enter via mail 4-H members must postmark (**no metered mail**) the State Fair entry form and send it along with a \$15 fee per project (i.e. \$15 for sheep (one (1) project), \$15 for swine (one (1) project), etc.) and \$10.00 multi-day exhibitor parking tag\* fee to the Entry Department, Indiana State Fair, or complete credit card information and signature. Include processing fee of \$5.00 (not applicable if enter online at [www.indianastatefair.com](http://www.indianastatefair.com)) for each paper entry form. An **additional** \$50 fee per exhibitor per department/project must accompany each entry postmarked from June 2 - July 31. Only hand delivered entries will be accepted from August 1 until check-in time, and these entries must be accompanied by an **additional** \$50 late fee per project/per exhibitor plus an **additional** \$50 fee per animal.

**\*The parking tag fee can be paid once per family if the entries are made at the same time. If entering online, the charge for parking will be calculated per computer session. If mailing entries, entry forms must be in the same envelope and the \$10.00 fee added on one entry form and that payment annotated on all other forms included.**

8. **WARNING!** If all of the information is not completed on the entry form (one exhibitor per form) and payment or valid credit card information enclosed, the entry will be returned to the 4-H member and will be subject to all applicable late fees.

**The Indiana State Fair Board is requiring all Indiana Exhibitors to provide the Indiana State Board of Animal Health required Premises ID number on all entry forms for beef and dairy cattle, goats, swine and sheep. Indiana exhibitors of horses, poultry, llamas and alpacas as well as out of state exhibitors will be requested to voluntarily provide Premises ID numbers.**

**To obtain a Premises ID #, please contact the Indiana State Board of Animal Health at 877-747-3038. Information can be found on the Indiana State Board of Animal Health website at [www.in.gov/boah](http://www.in.gov/boah).**

9. Confirmation of entries made prior to June 1 to the Entry Department will be mailed back to the exhibitor. Confirmation of entries made from June 2 - July 31 in this department will be mailed if there is sufficient return mail time. Exhibitors should bring confirmation received in the mail or if online entry, the electronic confirmation with them at check-in. Confirmation of entries cannot be made over the phone.
10. 4-H exhibitor tickets will be mailed to exhibitors with receipt.
 

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11. After your county fair auction is completed, the 4-Her must have the Extension Educator cross out those animals that have been sold at the auction (**including animals that have gone through a "Premium Only Auction"**), and sign the yellow copy of the 4-H enrollment form. If auctioned animals or premium only auction animals are on a brother's/sister's forms, they must be marked out on the yellow copy of all enrollment forms. The yellow copy of the enrollment form must be hand carried to the State Fair registration table to confirm entries.
12. Each animal entered in the following shows: Beef Cattle Department, Dairy Cattle Department, Swine Department, Sheep Department, Dairy Goat Department, Boer Goat Department and Meat Goat Wethers Department must be listed on a 4-H Animal Affidavit to exhibit at the Indiana State Fair. The completed and notarized form must be turned into their respective department during check-in. Failure to complete and submit an affidavit as requested may result in disqualification of the animal, or the exhibitor from the Indiana State Fair.
13. Any breed is eligible to show in the 4-H animal shows at the Indiana State Fair. Exhibitors of any of the established breeds (those listed in the premium book) would enter as that breed. If there are a least 5 animals that meet the criteria for that breed, they would have their own breed show. If the minimum number is not met, they would show in the AO division. For breeds that are not one of the established breeds (not listed in the book) they would enter as AO. These breeds must be recognized by a breed association. Then during check-in, if there are 5 animals that meet the criteria for that breed, they would have their own breed show. For any that do not meet the minimum requirement, they would show in the AO division. If the AO division



has 5 animals in it, Class and Champion premiums would be available. If the AO division has less than 5 animals, Class premiums would be available but Champion premiums would not be available. The champion of the AO division would be eligible for overall champion regardless of the number of animals.

## ARRIVAL AND RELEASE PROCEDURES

1. Upon arrival, all trucks and trailers must enter Gate 3 from 38th Street.
2. Inside Gate 3, follow directions for unloading.
3. All animals must be inspected and approved by a designated Sheep Barn Staff member before unloading.
4. **Pen Assignment and Unloading Procedures:** Department staff will be at the Check-in Tent to make pen assignments starting on the south side of the barn and moving toward the north side. 4-Hers wishing to pen together **MUST** arrive together. Trucks will remain in line in Lot 5 until their assigned unloading door becomes available. Department Staff in Lot 5 will release trucks for unloading with the assistance of a radio relay with the unloading area.  
Exhibitors ignoring these procedures are subject to immediate disqualification and forfeiture of all entry fees.
5. 4-H exhibitors will not be assessed a pen fee. Each 4-H exhibitor will be assigned a pen by the State Fair personnel under the department director's supervision.
6. **Carpet, tanbark, mulch and sand may not be used as bedding for animals in the Marsh Blue Ribbon Sheep Pavilion (Sheep Barn).**
7. All 4-H trailers and large trucks must be parked in the 46th Street Lot; therefore, as soon as your unloading has been completed, you must move your "rig" following the route designated by the traffic department.
8. Transportation will be provided for exhibitors from the 46th Street Lot to Gate 1 (Main Gate on 38th Street) and from the same location to the 46th Street Lot.
9. 4-H animals and exhibitors will be released at the published times.
10. When you are ready to depart, bring your trailer to the same loading and unloading area (You must have a parking tag to get your trailer in Gate 3.) You must clean your pen before leaving the grounds.
11. Any gates moved must be secured and returned to original position before check-out. **Must see information regarding alteration or removal of stall or pen structures including gates. (Page 19)**

## 4-H SHEEP EXHIBITION

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Carefully read the official health terms and conditions, general terms and conditions and official ownership terms and conditions in the front of the State Fair 4-H Handbook/Premium List. Especially note terms and conditions on tampering, misrepresentation, conduct, drugs, etc. Breeding ewes painted or colored by any means that alter or misrepresent breed characteristics will be penalized under the fraud and deception rules.
2. Any sheep exhibitor using excessive abuse on their exhibit animals (including slapping lambs on the rump during the show) will be penalized according to the General Terms and Conditions Section in this Handbook/Premium List. Excessive abuse shall also include, but not be limited to, burning, stabbing, gouging, punching, use of electric shocker or other treatment which is considered cruel and inhumane treatment to show animals.
3. The direct application of ice, ice water, alcohol, freon or any other refrigerant to the hide of a lamb is strictly prohibited. This deceptive, fraudulent practice will cause the exhibitor and their animal(s) to be disqualified immediately.
4. Officials reserve the right to require mandatory drug, steroid, saliva and tissue testing of animals/carcasses. Market lambs and breeding ewes will be drug tested in 2013. 4-Hers and parents consent to drug and/or steroid testing as a condition of entering their animal(s) in the Indiana State Fair. Refusing tests will be cause for disqualification. **Furthermore, the State Fair Officials reserve the right to request identification from any individual grooming any animal(s).**
5. 4-H exhibitors having an entry in animal classes at State Fair are expected to show their own animals. In cases where this cannot be done, the owner may request another Indiana 4-H member to serve as a substitute showman. Substitute showmen must be approved in writing by the 4-H show manager 24 hours prior to the showing of the animal(s) needing a substitute showman. Requests will only be granted for medical emergencies, conflicts with showing other animals, or circumstances deemed unavoidable by the 4-H show manager. Failure to be excused from a job and/or participation in a sporting event or sports practice will not result in a substitute showman being granted.
6. 4-Hers are responsible for keeping their pens and aisle areas clean at all times. Pens must be cleaned and release forms secured from the Sheep Barn Office before leaving, or Fair premiums will be forfeited.
7. Pens may be subdivided to accommodate more than one (1) 4-Hers animal(s).
8. No generators or scales are permitted on the State Fairgrounds except scales furnished by the State Fair.
9. All fans must fit in your assigned pen space.
10. Muzzles may not be used.
11. Lambs must stay within 50 feet of the Sheep Barn at all times.
12. A 4-H market lamb or breeding ewe enrolled in a particular breed may be changed to the commercial division before final entries are made at the State Fair entry table. A sheep enrolled as a commercial or cross-bred animal will not be allowed to switch to a purebred classification after May 15.
13. Breed sifting and verification committees shall be appointed by the department director and their decisions will be final. Animals sifted for breed purity concerns will be permitted to show in commercial classes.

14. 4-H Show management staff will split all classes following close of 4-H paperwork. Refer to Market Lamb and Breeding Ewe sections for specifics on class splitting.
15. Indiana State Fair Celebration Award - An exhibitor may only have one item/animal in the Indiana State Fair Celebration Award. Any additional animals will be dismissed and are not eligible for the Indiana State Fair Celebration Award.

## 4-H MARKET LAMB CLASSIFICATION GUIDELINES

### Border Cheviot:

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Solid pink nose
2. White hooves
3. Long ears and/or extremely long neck
4. Excessive brown or black hair (more than 25%)
5. A wool cap
6. Wool below the knees

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Horns or solid scurs
2. Absence of white hair (frosting) on the face and legs of black lambs
3. A steep hip and a genetic tendency to be double muscled

### Columbia:

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Scurs
2. Pigmented ears
3. More than 10% black or brown hair
4. Short thin ears
5. Absence of wool below the hock or knee

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Horns
2. A steep hip and a genetic tendency to be double muscled
3. Black or brown spots in the wool that are larger than the size of a dime
4. Solid black nose
5. Open face or absence of a full wool cap. Must have wool between the ears and eyes.

### Corriedale:

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Scurs
2. Brown spots on ears
3. Brown or black spots (in the hair) on the face or legs (smaller than the size of a U.S. dime)
4. Minor deviation from the ideal conformation, or breed characteristics

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Horns
2. Black and/or brown spots in the wool
3. Black and/or brown spots on the face or legs that are larger than the size of a U.S. dime
4. Brown hairs in the leggings below the knees and hocks
5. Speckled faces or ears
6. Absence of black spot(s) on the nose and/or hooves
7. Solid black nose
8. All white hooves
9. Solid pink noses
10. A steep hip and a genetic tendency to be double-muscled

### Dorset:

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Any dark colored spots in the hair or wool
2. Large drooping ears
3. Fine textured, silky hair covering
4. Absence of hair covering in typical areas
5. Dark colored septum - dividing the tissue between the nostrils
6. Dark colored lining of the nose or mouth

*Absolute disqualification:*

1. All-black, colored or spotted (Holstein type) lambs

### Hampshire:

*Description:*

1. Head - face of good length, dark, free of wool from eyes down, unbroken wool cap extend from neck over forehead
2. Ears must be moderate in length, thick, covered with coarse dark brown or black hair, free from wool
3. Legs - some wool below knee
4. Nose - broad muzzle, coarse dark brown or black hair, wool feathering desirable, open around eye, "frostiness" on nose

5. Body wool may be white, black or any combination thereof including blue fiber
6. Off color - free of white spots on jaws, legs and ears

**Horned Dorset:**

Characteristics must include the Polled Dorset information listed under "Dorset," plus: Horned Dorsets must exhibit horns (not scurs) with no evidence of Rambouillet or other breed influence. Both parents of Horned Dorsets must be of pure horned ancestry.

**Montadale:**

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Solid pink nose
2. Completely white hooves
3. Excessive wool cap
4. Heavy wool covering below the hock and knee
5. Excessive brown or black hair (more than 25%) on the face or legs

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Horns (scurs that are loose are okay)
2. Excessive dark coloration of the face and legs such that the lamb appears to be a "brockle"
3. Absence of white hair frosting on the face and legs of a black lamb
4. A steep hip and genetic tendency to be double muscled

**Natural Colored:**

*Description:*

1. At least 50% of the lamb's fleece must be made up of fibers that are a color other than white, excluding the hair on the lamb's face and legs.

**North Country Cheviot:**

*Description:*

1. The preferred color is chalk-white wool, but recessives such as black, reverse badger and badger are tolerated.
2. The head should be covered with short glossy white hair. The wool line should not come beyond the line in front of the ears on top, nor beyond the line of the eye on the cheeks.
3. Nostrils and hooves are preferably black, but pink or mottled noses and striped hooves are tolerated.
4. Animals must show a slightly Roman, to Roman nose.
5. Ear set should be erect at 45-degree angle to the head and of moderate to long length.
6. Animals should be free from wool above the knee and hock. These same animals should be covered with a short white hair below the wool line.

**Oxford:**

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Long droopy black ears
2. Bare face
3. Black spots in wool or hair
4. Inverted eyelids

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Speckled face and/or hair
2. Horns or solid scurs
3. Lack of top-knot
4. Long, slick, droopy black ears
5. A steep hip and a genetic tendency to be double-muscled
6. White spots on the ear

**Shropshire:**

*Three of the following will result in disqualification:*

1. Coarse or long, droopy ears
2. Coarse or Roman nose
3. Any white on the face, ears or legs
4. Legs completely bare of wool below the knees and hocks
5. Black arm-pits or black spots in the skin or wool

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Horns
2. Lack of a wool cap
3. A steep hip and a genetic tendency to be double-muscled
4. Excessive white on the face, ears, or legs

**Southdown:**

*Description:*

1. The hair on the muzzle should be gray to brown in color, not white and not approaching black

*Absolute disqualifications:*

1. Solid black in color
2. Speckled faces or legs
3. Total white hooves
4. A pronounced Roman nose



5. Horns
6. Inverted eyelids

**Suffolk:***Description:*

1. Black hair should cover the legs and head
2. Little to no wool should be on the head
3. No wool should be on the legs
4. Ears should be long, "bell-shaped" and covered with black hair
5. Body wool may be white, black or any combination there of

**Texel:***Description:*

1. The Texel breed is a medium sized sheep, standing on medium length of leg.
2. The body is very muscular over the top and carrying down into the leg with a solid square rump.
3. The head is broad and covered with fine white hair from the ear forward and to the jaw line. Pure white is preferred, but if there are small spots on the ear they should be a bright black color, not tan.
4. Texel sheep should not have a wool cap or wool on the jaw.
5. The wool line should stop above the hock and knee, with the legs being covered with the same fine white hair as the face.
6. The nostrils and hooves are preferred to be black in color.

**Tunis:***Description:*

1. Medium-sized meat-breed with a solid tan to red face and legs
2. Ears are long pendulous, drooping forward at rest, pointed forward when alert
3. Nose and tongue pink
4. Slender face, wider at muzzle
5. Dark brown or brown and beige striped hooves
6. Legs are generally free of wool

*Disqualifications:*

1. White blaze on face below the eye ridges
2. White or black face and/or legs
3. The head of the Tunis should not have black or gray tint or hair
4. Ewes with any horns/scurs
5. Mottling or white socks on any leg
6. Undershot or overshot of jaw
7. Spinal deformities
8. Undersized or too fine boned
9. Oversized or coarse

**Whitefaced Commercial:***Description:*

A whitefaced commercial market lamb must be the offspring of at least one whitefaced parent (either the sire or the dam). The lamb must show 50% or more white hair on its head (including the ears), or show some evidence of a speckling pattern on its ears, face, jaw, flank or legs. Solid brown faced or smut faced lambs with little to no white hair on their head (including ears) and no evidence of a speckling pattern will show in the blackfaced commercial class.

**4-H MARKET LAMB QUALIFICATIONS**

1. Exhibitors may show a maximum of four (4) market lambs. The market lambs need not be of the same breed.
2. All market lambs must be under one (1) year-of-age on show day and still have their lamb's teeth intact. The first three (3) to five (5) winners in each class will be mouthed to check for lamb's teeth. Those sheep whose lamb's teeth are not still intact will be disqualified.
3. 4-H members may not show the same ewe lamb as both a market lamb and a breeding ewe in the 4-H sheep show at the Indiana State Fair in any given year. A ewe lamb can, however, be shown as a 4-H market lamb one (1) year and then shown as a yearling breeding ewe the following year.
4. Any lambs showing evidence of testicular tissue are ineligible. If testicular tissue is discovered in a lamb during the "harvesting" procedure, the exhibitor will receive market value for the carcass, will be disqualified and forfeit all entry fees, premium and prize money.
5. All market lambs must be slick sheared at a uniform length (1/8 inch) with no wool between hock/knee and ears. No trimming stands, head pieces, mechanical clippers or blowers allowed in the barn during the market lamb show (Aug. 1-Aug. 4).
6. No painting of animals allowed during the market lamb show (Aug. 1-Aug. 4).
7. All lambs must have actual weight of 70 lbs to show.
8. Classes will be divided using the lamb's declared weight. After the class has been shown and the top placing animals are re-weighed, the actual scale weight of the lamb must not be more than six (6) lbs heavier than the lamb's original declared weight, or the market lamb will be disqualified. Weights must be declared; and cards turned into office by the time listed in the schedule. Failure to do so will result in the lamb ineligible to show.

9. Classes will have a minimum of 5 lambs, and will be split when the 21st animal is entered in the class.
10. The three (3) to five (5) highest placing 4-H market lambs in each class will be retinal scanned immediately following the placing of their class. Market lambs whose retinal scans cannot be matched with the retinal scans taken prior to May 15 will be disqualified.
11. Purebred market lambs must be born of purebred parents of the same breed and exhibit characteristics consistent with that breed.
12. Please refer to the Department schedule to see when the breed determination committee; and scales will be available. The animal's card; indicating the declared weight and that the animal has been screened by the breed determination committee; must be turned into the office by the time indicated on the schedule.
13. The Corriedale Association requires that Corriedale market lambs meet the same requirements for registry as if they had been left a ram or registered as a replacement ewe.
14. All Hampshire market lambs must have their heads sheared out before weighing. The Hampshire sifting committee will then determine whether or not lambs meet Hampshire breed requirements.
15. All breed class winners will show for breed champion market lamb, and the second place lamb to the breed champion may compete for reserve breed champion.
16. Commercial market lambs will be entered in either blackfaced or whitefaced classes. Blackfaced Commercial classes will be designated for blackfaced and predominantly blackfaced grade, crossbred and any such market lambs sifted from a breed class. Whitefaced Commercial classes will be designated for all whitefaced and predominantly whitefaced grade, crossbred and any such market lambs sifted from a breed class. All class designations by the classification committee are final. The champion and reserve champion Blackfaced Commercial market lambs and the champion and reserve champion Whitefaced Commercial market lambs will show in the Grand Drive.
17. Division Champions will be selected in market lamb breeds as follows: 6-8 classes = 2 divisions / 9 or more classes = 3 divisions
18. **4-H market lambs may not be shown with ear tags that display wording of any kind and will be covered up during check-in. Only official, county issued, five digit ear tags and scrapie tags will be permitted.**
19. All breed champions and the two (2) commercial champions will show for grand champion market lamb. The reserve grand champion market lamb will be selected from the remaining champion market lambs plus the reserve champion of the breed from which the grand champion was selected.
20. Once a market lamb is selected as a breed champion, it cannot be withdrawn from the show by the exhibitor. The State Fair and/or State 4-H officials require the grand, reserve grand and breed champion market lambs (including the two (2) champion commercial market lambs) to be "harvested". Exhibitors of breed champion market lambs not selected for the Indiana State Fair Celebration Award will receive live market value for their animal in addition to State Fair premium money.
21. All breed champion market animals in the 4-H Show will be transported by the State Fair to the processing site.
22. All carcasses shall remain under the jurisdiction and ownership of the State Fair until such time as all carcass examinations, tissue testing, and/or any other required testing as determined by the State Fair officials/or State 4-H Youth Department officials have been completed.
23. Awards will not be issued until all test results are complete.
24. Champion market lambs must be displayed without blankets until they are transported to the processing site.

#### 4-H BREEDING EWE QUALIFICATIONS

1. A 4-H exhibitor may show a maximum of six (6) ewes from a maximum of 4 breeds. From these six (6) ewes, a 4-H exhibitor may show, a maximum of two (2) ewes per age division per breed (ie. spring ewe lambs, fall ewe lambs, and yearling ewes). Divisions (fitted, slick) within a breed count against the total for that breed. e.g. 1 slick yearling ewe and 1 fitted yearling ewe of the same breed equals the maximum for that breed. 4-H members may bring one additional ewe for the fitting contest but this ewe may not be shown in 4-H breeding sheep classes.
2. Ewe lambs must have been born after September 1st of last year.
3. Animals exhibited in the ewe lamb classes must still have their lamb's teeth intact. Lambs with broken mouths or showing evidence of yearling teeth, will show in a yearling class. Determination of yearling ewes' teeth will be at the discretion of the judge.
4. A pair of lambs in breeding classes must both be ewe lambs and may be exhibited by up to three 4-H exhibitors.
5. Animals shown in pair classes must have been shown as individual ewe lambs or yearling ewes, and the pair must be entered and shown by the same 4-H exhibitor.
6. All breeding sheep may be exhibited either shorn or with full fleece **except for Shropshire, Southdown and Commercial ewes. All Shropshire, Southdown and Commercial ewes must be slick shorn for exhibition.**
7. A separate class for slick sheared ewe lambs will be offered for the Dorset, Suffolk and Hampshire breeds. The slick shorn class will be shown as the first class of ewe lambs in each breed. The Dorset, Suffolk and Hampshire breeds will also offer a slick shorn class for yearling ewes and this class will show before the fitted yearling ewes.
8. All ewes must be identified by a retinal scan and an ear tag or tattoo.
9. The first three (3) to five (5) animals placed in each class will be retinal scanned. Animals whose retinal scans cannot be matched with the retinal scans taken prior to May 15th, will be disqualified.
10. Except for commercial ewes, all breeding sheep must be registered, the registration number recorded with the breed association and the papers (no photocopies, carbon or FAX copies except a FAX directly from the national breed association to the Indiana State Fair) in the possession of the exhibitor. The breeder's tag/tattoo must be worn if required by the breed association.

11. All commercial ewe lambs and yearling ewes will be weighed for class designations. No blankets on ewes when weighed.
  12. When entries reach 21, the class will be split in to equal classes according to the age or weight of the animals.
  13. Ewe lambs shown as 4-H market lambs at the 2013 Indiana State Fair will not be eligible to show in 4-H breeding ewe classes at the 2013 Indiana State Fair.
  14. Yearling ewes may be shown in the ring by two exhibitors. If two exhibitors are used, the 4-H exhibitor who owns the ewe being shown must hold the ewe's head. Pairs may have three exhibitors.
  15. Southdown Ewe Champions
    - Champion Senior Ewe (**Includes yearling ewes and fall ewe lambs**)
    - Reserve Champion Senior Ewe
    - Champion Junior Ewe (**Includes spring ewe lambs only**)
    - Reserve Champion Junior Ewe
- \*Note: these will be shown after each yearling ewe & ewe lamb class has been confirmed**

## SECTION SM - 4-H GRAND CHAMPION ANIMALS

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(DO NOT ENTER)

### CLASS DESCRIPTION

- 1 Supreme Champion 4-H Ewe - large banner - \$1000
- 2 Reserve Supreme Champion 4-H Ewe - small banner - \$500
- 3 4-H Overall Supreme Ewe 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th - small banner
- 4 Grand Champion 4-H Market Lamb - large banner - Indiana State Fair Celebration Award  
*\$500 scholarship sponsored by STAR Bank*
- 5 Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Market Lamb - small banner - Indiana State Fair Celebration Award  
*\$500 scholarship sponsored by STAR Bank*
- 6 4-H Overall Market Lamb 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th - small banner

### SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP QUALIFICATIONS

4-H members who participate in State Fair 4-H sheep showmanship classes may only show their own animals that will be exhibited by them in a regular State Fair 4-H class. Showmanship will be judged on the fitting and training of the animal and the showmanship ability of the exhibitor.

#### 1. ELIGIBILITY FOR SHOWMANSHIP

Each 4-H member who competes in the State Fair 4-H market lamb show may enter the market lamb showmanship contest. Also, each 4-H member who competes in the State Fair 4-H breeding ewe show may enter the breeding ewe showmanship. Each breed will have showmanship classes, which will not exceed 25 participants. A 4-H member may show in only one (1) market lamb and one (1) ewe showmanship class. Contestants may compete in both the market lamb and breeding ewe showmanship contests.

#### 2. SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES. Grade in school on January 1 of the current year.

- a) Junior showmanship - all 4-H exhibitors in the 3rd, 4th or 5th grades are eligible. Once an exhibitor is the overall junior market lamb showmanship winner, the 4-H member is only eligible to compete in the intermediate or senior market lamb showmanship classes in future years. The same is true for ewe showmanship.
- b) Intermediate showmanship - all 4-H exhibitors in the 6th, 7th or 8th grades are eligible (exception only for any previous year's junior showmanship winners). Once a 4-H member is the champion intermediate market lamb or ewe showman, they must compete in the senior division of that showmanship category in subsequent years.
- c) Senior showmanship - all 4-H exhibitors in the 9th grade or above are eligible (exception only for any previous year's intermediate showmanship winners).

In both the ewe and market lamb showmanship events, only one (1) 4-H exhibitor from each breed and the commercial class may show for champion showman. This is true for the junior, intermediate and senior divisions. Both the champion senior market lamb showman and the champion senior breeding sheep showman will represent the 4-H sheep department in the 4-H supreme showman contest.

## SECTION SS - CHAMPION 4-H SHEEP SHOWMAN

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(DO NOT ENTER)

### CLASS DESCRIPTION

- 1 Champion Jr. 4-H Breeding Sheep Showman - large plaque
- 2 Reserve Champion Jr. 4-H Breeding Sheep Showman - small plaque
- 3 Champion Inter. 4-H Breeding Sheep Showman - large plaque
- 4 Reserve Champion Inter. 4-H Breeding Sheep Showman - small plaque
- 5 Champion Sr. 4-H Breeding Sheep Showman - large plaque
- 6 Reserve Champion Sr. 4-H Breeding Sheep Showman - small plaque
- 7 Champion Jr. 4-H Market Lamb Showman - large plaque
- 8 Reserve Champion Jr. 4-H Market Lamb Showman - small plaque
- 9 Champion Inter. 4-H Market Lamb Showman - large plaque

- 10 Reserve Champion Inter. 4-H Market Lamb Showman - small plaque
- 11 Champion Sr. 4-H Market Lamb Showman - large plaque
- 12 Reserve Champion Sr. 4-H Market Lamb Showman - small plaque
- 13 Grand Champion 4-H Sheep Showman - supreme finalist rosette - \$600
- 14 Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Sheep Showman - supreme finalist rosette - \$400
- 15 Supreme 4-H Livestock Showman (beef, sheep, swine) - large plaque - \$100
- 16 Reserve Supreme 4-H Livestock Showman - small plaque

#### 4-H SHEEP BREED MANAGERS

**Border Cheviot** - Ted & Charlotte Coil, 755 E 1000 N, Fortville, IN 46040, (317) 485-5544

**Columbia** - Alan Kessler, 3794 S. 550 W., LaPorte, IN 46350, (219) 898-5026

**Corriedale** - John Merlau, PO Box 406, New Palestine, IN 46163, (317) 861-4795

**Dorset** - 4-H - Terry Boone, 15445 E. 176 St., Noblesville, IN 46060, (765) 534-3573 and Open - Joel Parker, 107 Fairfield Dr, Shelbyville, IN 46124, (317) 401-0449

**Hampshire** - Greg Michel, 7858 8C Rd, Plymouth, IN 46563, (574) 305-1920 and John Mattingly, 3350 E 850 N, Lebanon, IN 46052, (765) 325-2987

**Horned Dorset** - Joe Crill, 4641 E 450 N, Rochester, IN 46975-7219, (574) 223-2994

**Katahdin** - Ronald Hash, 7720 West Radcliff Road, Hardinsburg, IN 47124, (812) 472-3377

**Montadale** - Neal Knapp, 13024 N Co Rd 625 E, Roachdale, IN 46172, (765) 376-0891

**Natural Colored** - Bob McDaniel, 10710 E 200 N, Charlottesville, IN 46117, (317) 462-1956

**North Country Cheviot** - Brett Kessler 6881 N 300 E, LaPorte, IN 46350, (219) 778-2624 and Mike Palmer, 29495 Edison Rd, New Castle, IN 46552, (574) 532-9316

**Oxford** - Mike Palmer, 29495 Edison Rd, New Carlisle, IN 46552, (574) 532-9316 and Todd Ropp, 27185 Co Rd 119, Wakarusa, IN 46573 (574) 903-5342

**Shetland** - 4-H - Angie Hopkins, 2701 S 1200 E, Zionsville, IN 46077, (317) 796-3000; and Open - Mary Ann Cripe, 3047 W. 500 N., Frankfort, IN 46041, (765) 379-2578

**Shropshire** - Mike Elsbury, 5385 E 500 N, Greenfield, IN 46140, (317) 326-4461; Assistant - Mark Wisehart, 9372 N 400 E, Greenfield, IN 46140, (765) 778-7707

**Southdown** - Joe Goins, 7843 Mooresville Rd., Camby, IN 46113, (317) 856-7707 and Joe Goins II, 761 Maple Ln., Mooresville, IN 46158, (317) 625-4505

**Suffolk** - Richard Jones, 4439 N 250 W, Patoka, IN 47666, (812) 385-5061 and Bill Jones, 1125 E 800 N, West Lafayette, IN 47906, (765) 463-7684

**Texel** - Virginia Bays, 3650 No. County Road 250 W, Brownstown, IN 47220, (812) 358-3719 and Don Thomas, 10506 S 875 E, Walkerton, IN 46574, (574) 586-3778

**Tunis** - Dale Huhnke, 1725 W 450 N, Muncie, IN 47303, (630) 881-8108

**Commercial** - Tom and Val Slack, 1022 W 1300 N, N. Manchester, IN 46962, (260) 982-8714

**Note:** Results from the 2013 Indiana State Fair 4-H Sheep judging, events and activities may be found on the Indiana State Fair website at <http://www.indianastatefair.com> or the 4-H website at [www.four-h.purdue.edu](http://www.four-h.purdue.edu)

## WOOL SHOW

**IF YOU WISH TO ENTER FLEECE YOU WILL NEED TO COMPLETE AN OPEN CLASS ENTRY FORM, PAY OPEN CLASS ENTRY FEES, AND MEET OPEN CLASS DEADLINES.**

#### 4-H SHEEP FITTING CONTEST

1. No advanced entry is necessary. Contestants may enter the day of the contest.
2. Participants must be 4-H'ers who are exhibiting sheep at the State Fair.
3. The contest is divided into a slick sheared division and a fitted division. Each division will be further divided into the following grade groups:
  - Juniors (grades 3, 4 & 5).
  - Intermediates (grades 6, 7 & 8).
  - Seniors (grades 9, and above).
4. Contestants will furnish their own animal. If in the judgment of the fitting contest judges, this condition has been violated, the contestant will be required to use another lamb or be eliminated from the contest. Washing prior to the State Fair is optional.
5. Contestants must bring registration papers to the arena, for the animal to be used in the contest.
6. Each participant will trim or shear the lamb without assistance or advice during the contest.
7. Participants will be judged on the handling, trimming, shearing and appearance of the animal, as well as the conditioning of the fleece in accordance with the 4-H "sheep fitting" score card.
8. Time will be limited to one (1) hour for the junior, intermediate and senior groups.
9. The contest will be scored by three (3) judges who have experience in fitting lambs for a show.
10. Contestants will be awarded blue, red or white ribbons, based on the quality of their work.

11. Six (6) plaques will be awarded: one (1) to the first prize winner in the junior, intermediate and senior groups of both the slick sheared and fitted divisions.
12. Participants in each division will be limited to winning two (2) consecutive plaques in that division. After this, the 4-H member must advance to the next grade group.

## SECTION FC - FITTING CHAMPIONS

(DO NOT ENTER)

### CLASS DESCRIPTION

- 1 Junior 4-H sheep fitting - slick sheared - champion plaque
- 2 Junior 4-H sheep fitting - fitted - champion plaque
- 3 Intermediate 4-H sheep fitting - slick sheared - champion plaque
- 4 Intermediate 4-H sheep fitting - fitted - champion plaque
- 5 Senior 4-H sheep fitting - slick sheared - champion plaque
- 6 Senior 4-H sheep fitting - fitted - champion plaque

**INDIANA COLUMBIA SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION**, will award each Columbia 4-H exhibitor that exhibits at least 1 Columbia ewe/ewe lamb a \$25.00 award.

**THE INDIANA NATURAL COLORED SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION**, will give \$10 each to the Champion Junior, Intermediate and Senior Ewe Showmanship Winners.

**THE INDIANA SHROPSHIRE BREEDER'S ASSOCIATION** will award premiums in the Best three (3) Head Class to all exhibitors.

### DON R. SHEPHERD MEMORIAL AWARD

The **Indiana Suffolk Sheep Association** will award a traveling trophy. A silver belt buckle will also be awarded by **FIVE STAR "J" FARMS** to the "Rookie of the Year" (a first time Suffolk exhibitor at the Indiana State Fair who has shown the best attitude and showing ability as judged by a committee).

The **INDIANA KATAHDIN BREEDERS ASSOCIATION** will provide special awards for winners for Katahdin Showmanship classes.

The **INDIANA SHETLAND SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION** members have made monetary donation towards the following plaques - Champion Ewe, Junior, Intermediate and Senior Showmanship.

**Businesses or Associations wishing to sponsor a 4-H award for 2014 should write to the Entry Department, Indiana State Fair, 1202 E. 38th St., Indianapolis, IN 46205 by November 15, 2013.**

## 4-H SHEEP PREMIUM SCHEDULE

Number in class	Placings									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
19 +	20	18	16	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
17-18	20	18	16	14	13	12	11	10	9	
15-16	20	18	16	14	13	12	11	10		
13-14	20	18	16	14	13	12	11			
11-12	20	18	16	14	13	12				
9-10	20	18	16	14	13					
7-8	20	18	16	14						
5-6	20	18	16							
3-4	20	18								
1-2	20									



## 4-H SHEEP DEPARTMENT 406 BREED CHART

4-H sheep exhibitors must make entries in the following section letters and class numbers:

Example: a Dorset yearling ewe would be entered in 406-DR-5.

(NOT SHOW ORDER)	Border Cheviot	Columbia	Corriedale	Dorset	Hampshire	Horned Dorset	Katahdin	Montadale	Natural Colored	North Country Cheviot	Oxford	Shetland	Shropshire	Southdown	Suffolk	Texel	Tunis	Commercial	Whit-faced Commercial	Black-faced Commercial	All Other Breeds
SECTION LETTERS:	BC	CL	CR	DR	HM	HD	KA	MT	NA	NC	OX	SL	SH	SD	SU	TX	TU	CM	WF	BF	AO
Slick Shorn Ewe Lamb	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ewe lamb	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Slick Shorn Yearling Ewe	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pair of ewe lambs	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Yearling ewe	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Pair of yearling ewes	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Junior ewe showmanship (5 blue ribbons)	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Intermediate ewe showmanship (5 blue ribbons)	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Senior ewe showmanship (5 blue ribbons)	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Market lambs	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Junior market lamb showmanship (5 blue ribbons)	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Intermediate market lamb showmanship (5 blue ribbons)	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Senior market lamb showmanship (5 blue ribbons)	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
(Do not enter classes below this line)																					
Champion ewe-plaque and \$250/breed not supreme or reserve supreme ewe	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
Reserve champion ewe-rosette & \$100/breed/ not reserve supreme ewe	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Champion market lamb-rosette and \$1000/breed not in sale	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Reserve champion market lamb-rosette & \$100/breed not in sale	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17



## 12th Annual Indiana 4-H/FFA Livestock Skill-a-Thon Contest At Purdue Campus September 21, 2013



Any 4-H and FFA member in Indiana is eligible to compete in the Skill-a-Thon Contest which focuses around the beef, sheep, and swine industries. Put your knowledge to the test at various stations where participants will be quizzed about items such as breeds, meat cuts, feed identification, livestock equipment and others. For more information about this contest, please contact your County Extension Office or call Aaron Fisher at (765) 494-8433 or [aaronfisher@purdue.edu](mailto:aaronfisher@purdue.edu).